

REMARKS

Claim 1 is amended to incorporate the subject matter of Claims 2-4.


The Examiner stated in the Office Action mailed on March 13, 2006, that Claim 4 (now amended Claim 1) would be allowable if the claim were rewritten into independent form.

No new matter was added in view of these amendments.

The Applicants therefore submit that the rejections made to Claims 1-3 in the Office Action are moot because only allowable Claim 1 (incorporating elements of cancelled Claims 2-4) remains pending.

Applicants request a three-month extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to submit this response. Please charge the fee for this extension and any other fees owed in connection with this paper to Deposit Account #07-0832.

Respectfully submitted,



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